



BC INTERNATIONAL
CORPORATION

March 28, 2000

Mark Yancey
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1617 Cole Blvd.
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Dear Mark Yancey,

DEFINITIZED SUBCONTRACT NO XCO-9-29106-01/ FINAL TECHNICAL
REPORT

Enclosed are two copies of the Final Technical/Status Report for the subject subcontract.

Today I talked to Ms. Deborah Bullard, who said that she was preparing a modification of the subject subcontract to reflect actual dollars spent on equipment. Ms. Bullard indicated that the modification would be sent to BCI for signature this Thursday. BCI will sign and return the modification to NREL the following Monday.

With the Final Technical/Status Report and the signed Modification in hand, I assume NREL will be able to process the last invoice already sent to NREL by our Controller, Mr. Ron Kelley.

If you have any questions or comments, please call me at 303-224-0013.

On behalf of BCI, I would like to thank you and all NREL personnel who have helped us with this contract.

Sincerely,

Norman Hinman
Manager of Business Development
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**BC INTERNATIONAL
DEFINITIZED SUBCONTRACT NO XCO-9-29106-01
"PROCUREMENT AND INSTALLATION OF PILOT PLANT EQUIPMENT FOR THE GRIDLEY
PROJECT"**

March 2000 FINAL TECHNICAL/STATUS REPORT

March 27, 2000

Engineering Status:

PFD's	Complete Through Rev 0
P&ID's	Complete Through Rev 0
Design Review	Complete
Instrument List	Current w/ Rev 0 design
Equipment List	Current w/ Rev 0 design
General Arrangement Dwgs	Complete
Structural Design Dwgs	Complete
Electrical Design Pkg	Complete
Mechanical Design	Complete

Procurement Status:

All materials and equipment for the project have been procured. All have been received onsite.

Status of Long Lead Items:

All long lead items have been received on site and incorporated into project.

Construction Status:

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